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Hon. David K. E. Bruce  
Under Secretary of State  
Department of State  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Dave:

With reference to our conversation of a few days ago with regard to the refugee--escapee situation, I enclose the pertinent parts of Adolf Berle's letter to me of April 8, together with his memorandum.

Our immediate interest here is in seeing that there is prompt action in setting up some machinery for taking care of the escapees since the advertisement of our failures in this regard have deterred defection and also have rendered it difficult for us to gain the intelligence potential from the escapees. We do not take any position here as to whether or not the International Rescue Committee is one of the private instrumentalities which should be used in this connection. You at the State Department know as much about this organization as we. Under proper management it might do useful work.

Sincerely,

*Dulles*  
Allen W. Dulles  
Deputy Director

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